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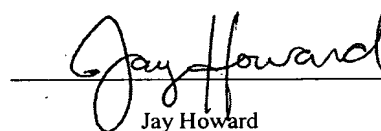
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Mark B. Lyles
Serial No.: 09/817,010
Filed: March 24, 2001
Group Art Unit: 1615
Examiner: Joynes, Robert M.
Title: **HIGH DENSITY POROUS MATERIALS**

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed November 15, 2003, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments set forth below and requests favorable action thereon.

Amendments to Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.